## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 694 By Goins

A RESOLUTION to recognize Randall Jay Drummonds, 2000 Salutatorian of Powell Valley High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those persons who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Randall Jay Drummonds is one such exceptional student who was recently named salutatorian of the 2000 graduating class at Powell Valley High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and unyielding commitment of time and talent, Randall has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Randall has earned an exemplary 3.9 grade point average, while being active in various extracurricular clubs and activities; and

WHEREAS, Randall Drummonds has participated in the school's Talent Search, the Spanish Club, SADD, the Student Council, FFA, the Beta Club, the Chorus, First Priority, the Scholars Bowl, and the Senior Showcase; and

WHEREAS, he was honored by being selected to participate in the Governor's Study Program and has worked diligently on the prom committee and as a videographer for the school's basketball teams; and

WHEREAS, Randall's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success, as he has received LMU's Presidential Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Randall's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Randall's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 2000 Powell Valley High School Salutatorian, Randall Jay Drummonds, on his impressive academic achievement, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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